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Naomi L. ESMON et al.
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USING OXIDIZED PHOSPHOLIPIDS**

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Dear Sir:

**RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS
UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES
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This response is being filed in response to the Notification of Missing Requirements under 35 U.S.C. §371 in the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) mailed June 20, 2002.

1. Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney of Inventors Naomi L. Esmon and Omid Safa Jamilabadi; and
2. A copy of the Notification of Missing Requirements under 35 U.S.C. 371.

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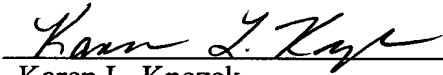
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Applicants believe that this completes the filing requirements under 35 U.S.C. 371 and 37 C.F.R. § 1.497(a) and (b). Applicants do not believe that any fee is due with this response; however, should fees be required, please deduct the necessary fees (other than the issue fee) from Sidley Austin Brown & Wood LLP's Deposit Account No. 18-1260. Please credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 18-1260.

Applicants also enclose the following papers for filing in the above-identified patent application:

1. Executed Assignment of Naomi L. Esmon and Omid Safa Jamilabdi to Oklahoma Medical Research Foundation with the corresponding assignment cover sheet, and authorization to deduct the \$120.00 fee for recordal of the assignment from Sidley Austin Brown & Wood LLP's Deposit Account No. 18-1260; and
2. Executed Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status for Oklahoma Medical Research Foundation.

Respectfully submitted,

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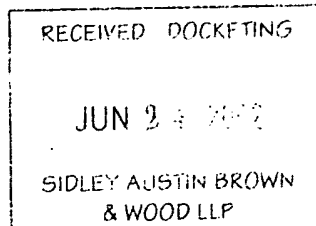


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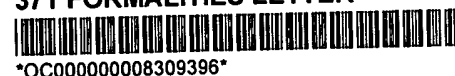
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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as an Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495):

- U.S. Basic National Fees
- Indication of Small Entity Status
- Priority Document
- Copy of IPE Report
- Copy of references cited in ISR
- Copy of the International Application
- Copy of the International Search Report
- Preliminary Amendments

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTH FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 22 or 32 MONTHS (where 37 CFR 1.495 applies) FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

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